

## TWO WRECKS BLOCK TRACK

Passenger Train Plows Into Box  
Cars and Through Depot  
Building.

ALL ARE SET ON FIRE

Jefferson Jones Held for the  
Killing of His Father-in-Law.  
New Hotel Virginia Beach.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
NORFOLK, VA., April 19.—The Atlantic  
Coast Line tracks, near here, are blocked  
by two wrecks, one of its own fast  
mail, near Wilson, N. C., and by a  
freight train of the Southern, which was  
using the Coast Line tracks into the  
Pinner's Point terminus. Twelve cars  
were derailed in the latter wreck.

The accident occurred near Armistead,  
about two miles from Pinner's Point.  
Twelve loaded cars are in the ditch at  
that point, and they are broken open  
and their contents are scattered in every  
direction.

It is believed that the breaking of a  
truck caused the disaster. None of the  
wreckmen happened to be on any of the  
cars, which were derailed. The engine  
did not leave the track and is un-  
injured.

It is denied that the car which broke  
down was the train was moving at high  
speed when it derailed, but it is claimed  
that faulty material in the construction  
of the car truck which broke is the  
cause of the accident.

**BADLY BLOCKED.**  
The track was badly blocked for some  
time, and all trains were detained. The  
Atlantic Coast Line and the Seaboard Air  
Line's tracks to the junction point be-  
yond the wreck.

Coast Line people state that the de-  
pot at Lucama, near Wilson, was burned,  
together with fourteen cars in the fast  
mail wreck. The engine seems to have  
plowed right into the depot buildings,  
shoving the freight cars with which it  
had collided ahead of it, and setting the  
whole mass on fire.

Thirteen of the burned cars were box  
cars. The engine of the passenger train  
was completely demolished, and the mail  
car with all its valuable contents was  
destroyed, the only thing saved being  
eleven registered packages. The mail car-  
ried by this train is very heavy, and,  
of course, important. Its destruction in-  
flicts an irreparable loss upon those to  
whom the mail was addressed.

**HELD FOR MURDER.**

The coroner's jury in the case of the  
killing of John Morgan, holds his son-in-  
law, Jefferson Jones, of Portsmouth, re-  
sponsible for the crime. One witness  
testified that after Morgan was killed  
by Jones, he saw in the latter's hand  
a closed knife. This fact may account  
for the wound in the left temple of the  
dead man, which was supposed to have  
been caused by the fall he sustained.

The two men have been at daggers  
drawn ever since Jones was arrested  
for murdering his wife three years ago.  
That there was an animus, the Com-  
monwealth will endeavor to show at the  
preliminary trial to-morrow. The cor-  
oner's inquest to-day was held behind  
closed doors.

**TANK BLEW OUT.**

By the blowing out of the tank of a  
chemical engine at a fire which destroyed  
the home of Richard E. Jones, at Lam-  
bert's Point, to-day John Temple was  
seriously injured. He will recover, how-  
ever.

A new hotel is to be built at Virginia  
Beach. It will cost upwards of \$100,000.  
The work will be started at an early  
date. Local capitalists are behind the  
scheme.

**HEART ON THE OUTSIDE.**

Remarkable Freak in a Calf Cor-  
rected by a Veterinarian.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
ROXBURY, N. H., April 19.—A strange  
freak of nature exists in this county.  
Mrs. Martha Clements, who lives in the  
upper end of the county, owns a calf  
nine weeks old, which was born with its  
heart on the outside of its body. The  
pulmonary arteries, which were as  
usual as if it had been in its accus-  
tomed place. Mrs. Clements says she  
was so worried about the little beauty  
that she could not rest at night for think-  
ing of the strange affliction.

She only wished the calf would die,  
but it did not; but continued to grow  
and be frisky.

Finally, she consulted a veterinarian,  
who agreed to put the heart where it  
naturally belonged, or try to do so.

"An ahead," said the lady, "if it dies  
it's all right."

Saturday the operation was success-  
fully performed, and now the calf seems  
all right, and is as playful as a kitten.  
"It will never sell it," said Mrs. Clements.  
The calf is a beautiful, full-  
blooded Holstein. It is not believed there  
is another case on record of the same na-  
ture.

The schools in St. Peter's district will  
close this week. Miss Lucy Talley, teach-  
er of Clay Hill school, will tender her  
scholars a reception at the residence of  
Mrs. Eshie, South Garden, Friday eve-  
ning.

The school board will meet Wednes-  
day at the courthouse.

**Yacht in a Heavy Sea.**

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
NEWPORT NEWS, VA., April 19.—  
Wilson Marshall, a prominent member  
of the New York Yacht Club, arrived  
at Old Point-to-day on his yacht, Atlantic.  
He reported a tempestuous voyage from  
the Cuban coast. The spars and sails of

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## THE TRADING STAMPS'DOOM

Petersburg Council Will Raise  
License Higher if Necessary  
to Run Them Out.

**TWO MEMORIAL WINDOWS**

One to Virginia's Confederate  
Dead and One to Missouri's  
Erected in Blandford Church.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
PETERSBURG, VA., April 19.—Miss  
Elsie M. Burt, daughter of Mrs. J. E.  
Burt, of Claremont, Va., was married to  
Mr. J. W. Clark, a business man of  
Claremont, Va., this morning in the pa-  
lor of the Chesterfield Hotel.

Miss Nellie Hanrahan and Mr. John  
M. Hanrahan were the attendants, and  
the ceremony was performed by the Rev.  
J. H. Marshall, of Claremont. Mr. and  
Mrs. Clark left for a tour through the  
North.

The two trading stamp companies op-  
erating in Petersburg announce their de-  
termination to pay the license tax of  
\$250 adopted at a recent meeting of the  
Common Council.

**ANOTHER INCREASE.**

It is reported that the City Council, at  
a meeting to be held within a few days,  
may increase the license to a thousand  
dollars, the object being to drive the  
trading stamp companies out of the city.  
Wallace Lufsey and Emmott Rainey,  
young white men, were the Mayor's  
Court this morning as the result of a  
mix-up last night with Policeman Wing-  
field. The officer is said to have been  
knocked down and kicked by Lufsey,  
whom he was endeavoring to arrest. The  
charge of assault was entered against the  
men, but the case went over until the  
policeman has sufficiently recovered to  
testify.

**MEMORIAL WINDOWS.**

Two memorial windows were placed in  
position in old Blandford Church yester-  
day, one to the memory of the Con-  
federate dead of the State of Virginia  
and the other to the memory of the Con-  
federate dead of the State of Missouri.  
The handsome window to the memory of  
the Washington artillery will be in place  
May 25th.

To-morrow is the anniversary of the  
departure of the Petersburg companies  
for Norfolk, they leaving here April 20,  
1861, to take part in the war between the  
States.

**PUBLIC-SPIRITED MAN.**

W. P. Winn Personally Furnishes  
Means to Work the Roads.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

MEHERRIN, VA., April 19.—The Lunenburg board of supervisors yesterday de-  
cided to commence work at once upon the  
roads. It was the impression generally  
that the roads would be in a better con-  
dition than they are at present, as the  
county was about one year behind in re-  
parations, and for several weeks it was  
evident that this would be the only re-  
medy, which caused much dissatisfaction  
among the people. But Mr. W. P. Winn,  
chairman of the board, came to the resolu-  
tion and offered to furnish the required  
amount necessary to run the machine  
this year without any interest. The offer  
was accepted, and the work will be  
resumed next week in Pleasant Grove  
district.

**Richmond Boy's Victory.**

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
FORK UNION, VA., April 19.—The de-  
claration medal awarded by the academy  
was, after a spirited contest last eve-  
ning, won by Student J. C. Chevalier, of  
Richmond, the competitor being twelve  
in number and the judges Mr. Henry Da-  
vis, Dr. F. J. Wright and Mr. C. S.  
Dole. The medal will be presented  
on commencement day in May.  
Dr. Foushee, of the faculty of Rich-  
mond College, delivered an excellent lec-  
ture on Sunday.  
Student Turner Monroe, so long crui-  
tially ill with appendicitis, has suffi-  
ciently recovered to return to his home in  
Stafford county.

**A Wonderful Escape.**

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
LYNCHBURG, VA., April 19.—Booker  
Fleishman to-day set two blasts in a forty-  
foot shaft and signalled to his men to draw  
him up. When near the top the windlass  
broke and he fell on top of the winding  
fuse. With his fingers he grabbed out  
one fuse, but the other exploded and a  
quantity of rock was thrown from the  
well. Fleishman was only slightly bruised,  
and this afternoon returned to work.

## THE BAPTISTS AND RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

Dr. Pitt Makes an Eloquent Ad-  
dress at the Baptist Cen-  
tennial.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., April 19.—  
The third night of the Baptist Centen-  
nial exercises at the church to-night was  
largely attended, and the occasion was  
of great interest. Rev. Dr. R. H. Pitt,  
editor of the Religious Herald, of Rich-  
mond, delivered the address of the eve-  
ning on the subject, "The Baptists and  
Religious Liberty." Dr. Pitt handled his  
subject with great skill, and his effort  
was an able and eloquent one.

Rev. Dr. C. C. Gardner will be the  
speaker to-morrow night, and will have  
for his subject, "The Baptists and the  
Bible."

Judge A. T. Embrey, of the Corporation  
Court, has rendered his decision in the  
colored Baptist church (new site) case.  
He decided that the meeting of the  
church which deposed Rev. William Rob-  
inson as pastor was regular and bind-  
ing, and is against Robinson's retention,  
and perpetuates the injunction keeping  
him out of the church. The church has  
called Rev. R. C. Judkins, of Richmond,  
as pastor. The followers of Robinson  
have organized a new church and called  
him as pastor. He has accepted, and  
meetings are held at the Farmers' Sup-  
ply Hall. The colored people have been  
greatly stirred up over these develop-  
ments.

Mr. W. P. Dillard, formerly of Orange  
county, but for some years past a resi-  
dent of Kansas, has been elected a dele-  
gate to the national convention from  
that State, and is in favor of Hearst for  
the presidency.

A new wharf is being established at  
Irvington on Carter's Creek, near the  
mouth of the Rappahannock River.  
The purchase of Bethany M. E.  
Church, in Northumberland county, has  
been sold for \$700 to Mr. Arthur Booth,  
and the quarterly conference has con-  
firmed the sale.

Mr. Howard Hathaway, formerly a  
member of the Legislature from Lancas-  
ter county, in this State, but for the  
past several years a resident of Wash-  
ington State, is a candidate for prosecu-  
tor at large of Snohomish county, in  
that State.

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## J. A. CATON FOR LIEUT.-GOVERNOR

Makes a Formal Announcement.  
Author of Jim Crow  
Car Law.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ALEXANDRIA, VA., April 19.—That  
Alexandria is to have a candidate for  
Lieutenant-Governor was settled beyond  
all question when Mr. James R. Caton  
at the earnest solicitation of his friends  
from all over the State today made  
announcement of his candidacy for Lieut-  
enant-Governor. It had been thought  
that Mr. Caton would defer his an-  
nouncement until a later date, as it was  
not his desire that his candidacy for  
Lieutenant-Governor should in any way  
interfere with other aspirants residing in  
this section of the State, who are seek-  
ing other honors, but Mr. Caton's friends  
have insisted upon his making his posi-  
tion known, with the result that he has  
made formal announcement of his candi-  
dacy.

Mr. Caton is one of the ablest lawyers  
in Northern Virginia. He has served in  
the Legislature for the past four years  
with great ability, and was a member  
of the commission appointed by the last  
Legislature to conform the statutes of  
the State with the provisions of the new  
Constitution. His work upon this com-  
mission has been highly commended by  
the bar throughout the State. He is the  
author of the first "Jim  
crow" bill for trolley cars, which ap-  
plied to this section of the State only,  
and of the general bill which applies to  
the whole State and is rapidly being  
adopted and the white people of Virginia  
owe it to his efforts that separate cars  
are now furnished for the races in this  
State.

Mr. Caton was also the patron of the  
Corporation Commission bill, giving force  
and effect to the constitutional provision  
as to the Corporation Commission, the  
author of the general incorporation law,  
the eminent domain law, the public ser-  
vice corporation law, and the present  
law providing pensions for Confederate  
veterans. Mr. Caton was born in Fair-  
fax county, which is also the home of  
the present Lieutenant-Governor, Hon.  
Joseph E. Willard, but has lived in this  
was in Oakwood.

**Marker—Waddell.**

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
MEHERRIN, VA., April 19.—Miss Car-  
rie Lee Waddell was married to Mr.  
Marker, of Green Bay, at her home here  
Sunday, April 18th. The ceremony was  
performed by Rev. J. C. Hester, preach-  
ing the marriage was to have taken  
place several days ago, but was post-  
poned on account of the death of the  
father of the bride.

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## COURT DAY IN PITTSYLVANIA

The Trial of Eli D. Oliver for  
Murder Creates Much  
Interest.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHATHAM, VA., April 19.—The first  
term of Pittsylvania County Circuit  
Court convened to-day. Judge Frank P.  
Christian of the Corporation Court of  
Lynchburg, presiding instead of Judge  
Saunders, who was detained by extreme  
illness of his mother.  
The largest crowd that has ever at-  
tended on the second day of the term,  
Monday having been the day on which  
the term should have begun, assembled  
to-day, filling the court-room to over-  
flowing.

The case against Eli D. Oliver for the  
murder of Jacob T. Davis, a one-armed  
Confederate veteran, in December last,  
was first called. The forenoon was  
given in empanelling a jury, which seem-  
ed doubtful at first, owing to the rigid  
examination by counsel for the defense,  
but after examining about thirty, the  
following were selected to decide upon  
the guilt or innocence of the accused: S.  
T. Rorer, W. A. Hylton, S. A. Swanson,  
W. R. Mays, S. V. Sherron, C. A.  
Nuckley, W. S. Thompson, T. C. Green,  
S. B. Boaz, H. C. Thornton, S. B. Marks  
and J. R. Soyers.

C. W. Oliver, a brother, was indicted  
along with the man now being tried, and  
his case has been set for Thursday.  
Joseph R. Terry, an eye-witness of the  
tragedy, was called about 4 o'clock and  
remained on the stand until court ad-  
journed for the day.

His testimony, which was given very  
reluctantly, was about the same as be-  
fore the preliminary hearing. He stated  
that the stick which C. W. Oliver struck  
the negro who was arrested in the  
field, was called about 4 o'clock and re-  
mained on the stand until court ad-  
journed for the day.

**EXCITEMENT SUBSIDES.**  
John Batten Taken to Isle of  
Wight for Trial for Assault.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
SUFFOLK, VA., April 19.—John Batten,  
a negro who was arrested in Isle of  
Wight county, charged with an attempt-  
ed assault on Mrs. James T. Stallings,  
last week, and who was brought to Sur-  
folk for safe keeping, to-morrow will  
be returned to Isle of Wight for a preli-  
minary hearing.

It is believed that the subsidence of  
feeling warrants Batten's being safely  
carried back for trial.

**Cannady—Spindle.**

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
ROANOKE, VA., April 19.—Mr. Fred-  
erick Cannady and Miss Lily Claphorn  
Spindle, youngest daughter of Captain  
and Mrs. Thomas W. Spindle, were mar-  
ried at the First Presbyterian Church at  
8 o'clock to-night. Rev. Arthur Row-  
tham, pastor of the Second Presbyterian  
Church, and Rev. W. F. Campbell, D. D.,  
officiating.  
The church was handsomely decorated

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and crowded with friends. Dr. John Can-  
nady, of West Virginia, was best man,  
and Mrs. Dudley R. Cowles, of New York,  
sister of the bride, was matron of honor.  
The ushers were Captain Thomas Spin-  
dle, Jr., Dr. J. R. Garrat, Dr. Ben Moo-  
maw, Barrie Green, of Lynchburg,  
Charles Shields and M. Floyd Foyt.  
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